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In re application of

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For: METHOD FOR ADJUSTING THE DEFORMATION GEOMETRY

OF A DEFORMATION TOOL IN AN OPTIMIZING MANNER,

CORRESPONDING DEFORMATION TOOL AND APPROPRIATE TEST TOOL

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The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

• Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

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